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The following statement can be attributed to Graham Bowman, Attorney with the Ohio Poverty Law Center, on the 2018 Ohio Medicaid Group VIII Assessment report released by the Ohio Department of Medicaid.

“The Ohio Department of Medicaid’s new report on the expansion population provides clear and irrefutable proof of what the legal aid community has been saying for the past four years—the Medicaid expansion is critically important for low-income Ohioans to be able to keep their jobs and care for their families. Without reliable access to health care manageable health problems grow into disabling conditions over time. Policymakers should read this report carefully and strive to ensure that all Ohioans have uninterrupted access to health care so they may continue contributing to their communities.”

The Ohio Poverty Law Center works to reduce poverty and increase justice by protecting and expanding the legal rights of all Ohioans living, working, and raising their families in poverty.

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